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Method and system for simultaneously Sort by relevance | Sort by date (new first) | Sort by date (old first) displaying a television program and ...

US Pat. 6239794 - Filed Jun 7, 1995 - E Guide, Inc.

The moving, real time images of the current 45 television program highlighted by cursor 48 are displayed in PIP window 42 and a brief program description of ...

Terminal for suggesting programs offered on a television program delivery ...

US Pat. 5798785 - Filed Dec 2, 1993 - Discovery Communications, Inc.

If the program abstract database is stored locally at the set 15 top ... or on

the set top terminal 220 to move a cursor or highlight bar on the TV screen. ...

Electronic television program guide with selective updating

US Pat. 5917481 - Filed Dec 15, 1997 - Matsushita Electric Corporation of America BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS FIG. 1 is a block diagram of an electronic TV program guide controller embodying the present invention. FIG. ...

Electronic television program guide for a television system having two ...

US Pat. 5699125 - Filed Mar 31, 1995 - Matsushita Electric Corporation of America BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS ' generates data for the on-screen program data ... 1 is a block diagram of an electronic TV program and executes all ...

Television program recording and reproducing system using program data of ...

US Pat. 5390027 - Filed Jul 19, 1993 - Matsushita Electric Industrial Co., Ltd. [ii] Patent Number: [45] Date of Patent: [54] [75] TELEVISION PROGRAM ... [57] ABSTRACT Television program information contained in an extracted text ...

Apparatus and methods for synchronizing a clock to a network clock

US Pat. 5559550 - Filed Apr 13, 1995 - Gemstar Development Corporation The moving, real time images of the current television program are displayed in PIP window 1252. If the cursor also highlights the current program, a brief ...

System and method for automatically correlating user preferences with a T.V ...

US Pat. 5223924 - Filed May 27, 1992 - North American Philips Corporation 10 15 20 Television systems utilizing downloadable TV program ... as well as summaries, ratings, recommendations and cost for each of the programs featured. ...

Television program delivery system

US Pat. 5559549 - Filed Dec 2, 1993 - Discovery Communications, Inc. This entry represents a sports show, a college football game, ... 4 Abstract proper menu location for each program and the proper time and channel to ...

Network controller for cable television delivery systems

US Pat. 5600364 - Filed Dec 2, 1993 - Discovery Communications, Inc.

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US Pat. 6052554 - Filed Sep 10, 1996 - Discovery Communications, Inc.
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Operations center for a television program packaging and delivery system

US Pat. 5659350 - Filed Dec 2, 1993 - Discovery Communications, Inc. the description may be given following that **program's** the global channel ID number ... 20 Terminator 4'Terminator 4 Abstract entry represents a sports show, ...

Systems and methods for linking television viewers with advertisers and ...

US Pat. 6002394 - Filed Apr 11, 1997 - StarSight Telecast, Inc.
In this aspect of the invention, the **television program** is available to access ... information about the **episode**, such as a **brief abstract** on the **episode**, ...

Advanced set top terminal for cable television delivery systems

US Pat. 5990927 - Filed Dec 2, 1993 - Discovery Communications, Inc. 8) activates the **program** selection feature. Following activation of the feature, the set top terminal 220 will present the viewer with a **series** of **brief** ...

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Automatic circuit and method for editing commercial messages from television ...

US Pat. 4390904 - Filed Sep 20, 1979 - Shelton Video Editors, Inc.

More particularly, the **TELEVISION** SIGNALS matically detecting the ... interruptions in the **program** content of a circuitry produces a **series** of timer signals ...

Rating-dependent parental lock-out for television reception

US Pat. 5583576 - Filed Sep 11, 1995 - OKTV, Inc.

BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS 35 The following detailed description, ... the genre of the **television program** (eg, **drama**, comedy, sporting event, action, ...

Electronic television program guide channel system and method

US Pat. 5635978 - Filed May 20, 1994 - News America Publications, Inc.
OTHER PUBLICATIONS TV Communications Advertisement for MSI Datacasting ...
A television receiver is used to display the television program schedule and ...

Systems and methods for linking television viewers with advertisers and ...

US Pat. 6263501 - Filed Oct 11, 1999 - Star Sight

In this embodiment, the **television** guide may be used to both: (1) **show** when ... more information about the **episode**, such as a **brief abstract** on the **episode**, ...

Program time guide

US Pat. 5585838 - Filed May 5, 1995 - Microsoft Corporation
The interactive viewing system 10, which is an interactive **television** system ...
about any particular **program**, such as, a **brief** description of the **program**, ...

Electronic television program guide schedule system and method with data ...

US Pat. 5589892 - Filed Jun 7, 1995

7,1995 Related US Application Data [63] Continuation-in-part of Ser. ...

An electronic program schedule system with access to both stored television program ...

Method and apparatus for transmitting and receiving television program ...

US Pat. 5038211 - Filed Jul 5, 1989 - The SuperGuide Corporation
Off. 358/142 Primary Examiner—Victor R. Kostak Attorney, Agent, or Firm—Bell,
Seltzer, Park & Gibson [57] ABSTRACT An online television program information ...

Electronic television program guide schedule system and method including ...

US Pat. 5585866 - Filed Jun 7, 1995

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US Pat. 5297249 - Filed Oct 31, 1990 - International Business Machines Corporation The invention is specifi- tems), IBM Corporation, Part No. ... 1, there is shown a personal computer 10 video program 34, a graphical image program 35, ...

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Electronic television program guide schedule system and method

US Pat. 5781246 - Filed May 20, 1994

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Adjustable program guide display system

US Pat. 6064376 - Filed Mar 13, 1997 - United Video Properties, Inc.

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Multi-regional interactive program guide for television

US Pat. 6160545 - Filed Dec 15, 1997 - General Instrument Corporation
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Television schedule system

US Pat. 5353121 - Filed Mar 19, 1993 - StarSight Telecast, Inc.
Such grids are also typically provided which maintains full functionality of the television ac- that contains a synopsis of each program, whether the (VCR). ...

Interactive program summary panel

US Pat. 5907323 - Filed Nov 13, 1997 - Microsoft Corporation

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US Pat. 4967273 - Filed Feb 14, 1989 - VidCode, Inc.

United States Patent Greenberg [54] **TELEVISION PROGRAM** TRANSMISSION ... Agent, or Firm—Kevin mcmahon [57] **ABSTRACT** A method and apparatus for verifying the ...

User interface for television schedule system

US Pat. 5479268 - Filed Feb 18, 1994 - Starsight Telecast Inc.
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HD to SD guide converter for electronic television schedule system

US Pat. 5900915 - Filed Mar 18, 1997 - Thomson Consumer Electronics, Inc. BACKGROUND An Electronic **Program** Guide (EPG) is an interactive, on-screen analog to **TV** listings found in local newspapers or -^ other print media. ...

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Viewer discretion television program control system

US Pat. 5550575 - Filed May 4, 1994

It includes provision for storing suitability ratings for each **program** receivable by a **television** set, allocation of personal identification numbers to each ...

Method and apparatus for viewing of on-line information service chat data ...

US Pat. 5694163 - Filed Dec 12, 1996 - Intel Corporation

If chat text is detected as being typed input at the television signal (120) is

... (Mg) receives typed ^ from a chat encoded with a TV program; and, ...

Method and system for displaying other information in a TV program guide

US Pat. 5940073 - Filed Apr 30, 1997 - StarSight Telecast Inc.

The system operator may charge **television program** providers an additional ... about a specific **program**, such as the staring actors or a **brief** description of ...

Apparatus and method using compressed codes for television program record ...

US Pat. 5307173 - Filed Feb 3, 1992 - Gemstar Development Corporation Column 1, line 9, before "continuation-in-part" insert -- a --. Column 3, line 33, change "a infrared" to -- an infrared --. Column 3, line 37, ...

Selecting a digital television program and the control of a non-attached ...

US Pat. 5963264 - Filed Oct 30, 1997 - EchoStar Engineering Corporation BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS FIG. 1 is a block diagram illustrating the preferred ... signals which are then output to TV/monitor 36 and VCR device 38. ...

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Television event marking system

US Pat. 5907322 - Filed Oct 16, 1996 - Catch TV Acquisition Corp.

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Method and apparatus for processing a conditional access program guide as ...

US Pat. 5473609 - Filed May 26, 1994 - Thomson Consumer Electronics, Inc. Dependent upon the results of the comparison, the guide data for that particular channel is either displayed or not displayed in the **program** guide. **BRIEF** ...

Method and apparatus for merging television program schedule information ...

US Pat. 5550576 - Filed Apr 17, 1995 - StarSight Telecast Incorporated BRIEF DESCRIPTION OF THE DRAWINGS FIG. la is a block diagram of a multi-source television program and television schedule guide system with multiple sources ...

System and method for identifying a television program

US Pat. 5404160 - Filed Jun 24, 1993 - Berkeley Varitronics Systems, Inc. nowhere is there teaching for extracting a complete **TV** an encoder system 40 ... a known **television** trans- which receives an incoming **TV program** signal. ...

Cable television audio messaging systems

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Program server for interactive television system

US Pat. 5442389 - Filed Dec 28, 1992 - AT&T Corp.

The server then sends the **program** from DRAM over the distribution system to a customer as a **series** of digital packets. Each instance of sending a **program** is ...

TV recording and viewing control system

US Pat. 5253066 - Filed Nov 5, 1991

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